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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 7829
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SUBJECT: SOWETO QUIET ON EVE OF JUNE 16TH

1. ON THE EVE OF JUNE 16TH, SOWETO REMAINS QUIET WITH
POLICE OUT IN FORCE. CEREMONIES ARE SCHEDULED FOR
TOMORROW AT REGINA MUNDI CHURCH, IN SOWETO (AND
MANY OTHER CHURCHES) FOLLOWED BY A WREATH LAYING
CEREMONY AT THE GRAVE OF HECTOR PETERSON, THE FIRST
VICTIM OF THE 1976 RIOTS.

2. STUDENTS REPRESENTING THE SOWETO STUDENTS LEAGUE
HAVE CALLED FOR A PERIOD OF MOURNING AND A NON-
VIOLENT OBSERVANCE IN COMMEMORATION OF THOSE WHO DIED.
SOWETO ACTION COMMITTEE LEADERS HAVE LIKEWISE CALLED
FOR A "QUIET" 16TH.

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3. POLICE ARE PATROLLING IN HEAVY NUMBERS WITH ROAD
BLOCKS AND BODY SEARCHES. THERE HAVE BEEN NO
REPORTS OF INCIDENTS.
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